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Subject: Parcels delivered to 76 Canning Street, North Melbourne

Justin

Thank you for your response to my email. We understand that the City of Melbourne is managing a difficult situation in extraordinary times. However, we remain concerned that the actions taken interfere with the integrity and security of important national infrastructure.

Could you please advise me if the AFP has indicated their proposed approach and timing or provided advice on whether to distribute the Parcels to the Addressees or to return them to Australia Post? Also, if there is anything that we can do to support the AFP process, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Subject to advice from the AFP, our position is unchanged. Parcels should be delivered as addressed, without delay or interference. Having been entrusted with the Parcels for safe distribution to their intended recipients, we do not consider it appropriate for the City of Melbourne to have withheld them.

We will update the customer on developments, including your stated intention to return the Parcels to Australia Post. Could you please let me know if the City of Melbourne has been liaising with anybody at Australia Post on this proposed course of action?

Kind regards

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